

## **REGIONAL SERVICE COUNCIL MINUTES**

### **REGION 17**

Meeting Date: June 16,2006

Meeting Location: Dubois County DCS Office

#### **COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT;**

Susan Lesko  
Leslie Rowland  
David Galloway  
Connie Branch  
Judge Weikert  
Lisa Bowles  
Georgann Gogel

#### **COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT**

Mary Alice Manley  
Judge Arthur  
Bonita Mattingly

#### **OTHER IN ATTENDANCE**

Melinda Berry  
Herbert Gordon

### **MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting was called to order at 8:00 am on 6-16-06 by Susan Lesko, Regional Manager for Region 17. Minutes from the last meeting were approved as read.

#### **FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS-**

An update was given on the Community Partners for Child Safety. Ireland and Luzio were chosen by Region 17 to provide this service. They are in the process of gathering information and attending meetings in Indianapolis to gain a better understanding of the states expectations. They will be attending our July meeting to discuss where we are going and how we are going to get there.

#### **SECOND ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Regional Manager Susan Lesko discussed the upcoming budgets. The different funding streams were explained as well as the process each county goes through to have their budgets approved at the state and local level. Each Director will give a brief presentation of their budget at the July RSC meeting for approval by the Council.

### **THIRD ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Georgann Gogel, director of Perry County made a presentation requesting the use of Child Welfare Dollars in the amount of \$800.00 to bring Dr. Laskey to Perry County for a presentation. Discussion was held by the Council and it was decided that we would see if Dr. Laskey would be willing to do an all day workshop and open the training to all appropriated agencies in the Region. We could incorporate this into our Community Fair.

### **FIFTH ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Regional Manager Lesko introduced Tim Hammond from IDTC. Mr. Hammond gave the Council a presentation of their facility, what services they provided, where they were located and they are Medicaid IV-E approved. He then asked for Council input as to the need for such a facility in Southern Indiana. All Council members agreed and said that it needed to be south of Bloomington to be really effective for Southern IN.

Next meeting will be held on Friday, July 21,2006 at the Dubois County DCS office. The meeting will start at 8:00 am Central time.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 am.

Respectfully submitted  
Charlene Leinenbach